



ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1875.

It is reported, and subsequent events certainly by no means contradict the statement, that the President pledged his official patronage to aid in the passage of the "Force" bill. It can hardly be an accidental occurrence, remarks the New York Journal of Commerce, that the retiring members of the last Congress who worked hardest for the bill are now getting the best offices in the gift of the President. Among these may be named Orth, Minister to Austria; Maynard, Minister to Turkey; Tyler, Second Assistant Postmaster-General; White, Superintendent of special prosecutions at the South, for which Congress made an appropriation; Sheets, Sixth Auditor of the Treasury, and Rausier, Collector of Internal Revenue in South Carolina. Others have been appointed and confirmed to less important and lucrative offices. The Journal of Commerce adds: "We believe that President Grant has bestowed more of his good gifts on ex-members of Congress than any previous President. It is a curious habit and weakness of the President to look chiefly among his circle of personal acquaintance for officeholders. A third-rate man who knows the President has a ten-fold better chance of appointment than a man of first-rate qualities, universally recommended, who is not known to him. This notorious fact has caused much dissatisfaction in the Republican ranks. Able men are wholly neglected in the distribution of offices because they have never toadied to the President. The idea of a third term receives its strongest opposition from this class of Republicans, who do not believe in running the vast machinery of the Government for the benefit of the President's personal friends and sycophants."

In the Senate, on Saturday, while the Pinchback case was under discussion, Mr. Thurman said Mr. Morton had quoted from his remarks on the Goldwater case with a view to establish a precedent for the admission of Pinchback. The circumstances of the case were, however, entirely different. Proceeding in his argument, Mr. Thurman ridiculed the idea of Pinchback's case being a prima facie one. He said Mr. Morton's speech had been made over and over again, and contained nothing but repetition.

Mr. Morton said the Senator from Ohio (Mr. Thurman) had been guilty of a discourtesy which was rare with that Senator, in accusing him (Mr. Morton) of being rusty in law and ignorant of the law. Mr. Morton then claimed that Mr. Thurman had himself, by his citations and deductions, proved his own ignorance of law. Mr. Thurman disclaimed any intention of discourtesy to Mr. Morton. He thought it would be very remarkable if the Senator should not have become rusty in the law after so long an absence from it. If he (Mr. Thurman) had been so long absent from the law as that Senator, he certainly would be very rusty in it.

A running colloquy ensued between Messrs. Morton and Thurman on the legal points involved in the case.

The well informed Washington correspondent of the Baltimore American, says:—"The latest Cabinet rumor is that Attorney General Williams will retire from the Cabinet at an early day. The authority for this is a prominent Louisiana Judge now here, who states that Mr. Williams told him that he would retire. There is no doubt that Minister Schenck is to be succeeded at London. It is understood that the nominations will not be made until after the called session of the Senate adjourns. There is good ground for the statement that the mission will be tendered to Attorney General Williams, and that his name is to be withheld from the Senate for confirmation until next winter, this course being taken at his request. In connection with the office which will be made vacant by the retirement of Mr. Williams, the name of Ben Butler is mentioned, but only as a rumor."

The result of declaring vacant the seat claimed by Pinchback will be to necessitate a new election by the Legislature of Louisiana as it will be constituted under the decision of the Arbitration Committee, now in secret session in New York. The Baltimore American says that "although there is nothing given out from the committee, yet it is taken for granted that the Republicans will have a majority on joint ballot, and accordingly will elect the Senator. Mr. James F. Casey, brother-in-law of President Grant and Collector of the port at New Orleans, is sharp set after the position, and it appears that there are combinations on foot, and strongly supported, to secure it for him."

In the Senate on Saturday the debate upon the Pinchback case was continued. Mr. Thurman opposed the claims of Pinchback to a seat and was followed by Mr. Whyte, who argued on the same side, and delivered an able and convincing speech. Mr. Thurman and Mr. Morton became involved in a controversy over the latter's knowledge of law, of which the Ohio Senator seemed to have a poor opinion. Mr. Edmunds offered an amendment to the resolution under discussion, making it read that Pinchback be not admitted, and there is a belief, almost amounting to a certainty, that when the debate runs out on Tuesday the resolution will be adopted in this form.

Sheridan has gone to Chicago and will go from thence, in a few days, to Leavenworth, Kansas, and then to New Orleans, where he expects to arrive in about two weeks. As one result of his visit to Washington, it is understood that if matters remain quiet in New Orleans, as there is every reason to expect, a portion of the troops will be withdrawn from New Orleans and distributed on the Indian frontier.

General John C. Breckenridge is again dangerously ill at his home in Lexington, Ky.

A Papal brief in answer to the address of the German Episcopate is published. It declares that the Vatican decrees contain nothing which alters the relations of the Pope and Roman Catholics, or which can afford a pretext for further oppressing the Church, and interfering with the election of the next Pope. It endorses the statement made by the bishops that judgment as to the validity of a Papal election appertains to the Church alone, and concludes by urging the bishops to continue to resist and expose the error.

During a thunder storm, yesterday morning, a ten thousand barrel tank of oil at Riverside refinery, near Pittsburgh, Pa., owned by Elkies & Flick, was struck by lightning and the oil burnt, together with two cars, on the Allegheny Valley Railroad track, containing five hundred barrels of benzine. Total loss about \$20,000.

Ex-Congressman Platt, of Virginia, is said to be an applicant for the position of Third Auditor of the Treasury. The office is now filled by Allen Rutherford, of North Carolina, and there is but little prospect of Platt's success.

The appointment clerks at the departments agree that there has never been such a demand for offices as now, and the Government Printing Office is besieged with applicants for places.

Lake Michigan is frozen over solid, an event that has never occurred before, so far as is known. The Chicago river is also frozen solid to the bottom.

Up to Saturday night forty-nine applications had been filed with the President for official positions by ex-members of Congress.

The U. S. Senate will probably adjourn on Friday or Saturday of this week.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the Times"

The Louisiana Investigating Committee was closely engaged upon the business before it until five o'clock on Saturday afternoon, in New York, all the members being present. Counsel for the opposing sides occupied an adjoining room during the session. Great caution is being exercised to prevent the proceedings becoming known. Mr. Ziebach, counsel for the Conservatives, it is stated, says that the committee tries to keep the proceedings secret because if it should appear probable that the decision will be favorable to the Conservatives, a number of Republicans now in office in New Orleans might be summarily removed.

The Pennsylvania House of Delegates resolved itself into a mob on Friday night and continued a mob performance until Saturday morning. Notwithstanding much business seems to have been gone through with, many bills were passed, members apparently knowing little and caring less about their provisions. A member during the confusion was heard to declare that he would vote for no more unless the titles were announced. The want of a quorum at last compelled an adjournment.

Canada is passing through experiences similar to those on this side of the line in the fall of 1873. At Toronto and Montreal business is stagnant, old established houses are suffering and the panic increasing. In Montreal within the past few days three important firms have failed, and others are reported to be in difficulty. The cause is not unlike that which did the evil here—stringency in the money market, and the paralysis of credit through the loss of general confidence.

The difficulty in the Charleston cotton market was adjusted on Saturday. The factors are to sell at delivery weight, the buyers taking the cotton immediately from a sworn weigher, and reweighing it with a beam scale. All differences to be referred to a third weigher, whose decision is final.

Although the credentials of Minister Cushing to the new Government of Spain were signed by the President on the 6th of February, they were not presented to King Alfonso as a formal recognition of his accession to the throne, says a Washington telegram, until the 11th of March.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese of South Carolina have consented to Dr. Jagger's consecration, but refused to consent to that of Dr. DeKoven. The Standing Committee of the Diocese of Kentucky gave its consent on Saturday to the consecration of Dr. Jagger.

Moody and Sankey continued their revival services at Agricultural Hall, Islington, England, yesterday. The attendance was immense. It is estimated that 17,000 women were present at the afternoon meeting, and in the evening 20,000 men were assembled.

Tweed's counsel are unremitting in their efforts to get him out of the penitentiary. They have now got the legal proceedings in such shape that on the 22d the Court of Appeals is to hear argument on the question of releasing him on a habeas corpus.

The report of a committee appointed by the Pennsylvania Legislature to investigate charges of cruelty against certain officers of the House of Refuge, mysteriously disappeared on Saturday from the desk of a committeeman to whom it had been given for signature.

The romantic and stage-struck young ladies who ran away from Philadelphia to seek their fortunes on the boards and were found in Baltimore, were returned home on Saturday night. There is no evidence that anything harmful has come of their escapade.

The Marquis de Clermont Tonsere, formerly Second Secretary of the French Legation at Washington, but now First Secretary of the Legation at St. Petersburg, has received the Cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

A new feature has been introduced into the Indian policy. Hereafter the healthy, capable men whom the Government has been supporting upon the reservations, are to be compelled to work for their rations and annuities.

A dispatch from Rome says that Archbishop Bayley, of Baltimore, has been designated to confer the benediction on the American Cardinal, Archbishop McCloskey.

Two steamboats were sunk on the Mississippi on Friday. About fifteen lives were lost on one and three on the other.

Kosiek, formerly editor of the Berlin Germania, an Ultramontane journal, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment. He has fled from Germany.

The deaths in New York city last week were six hundred and nineteen.

Holland and Denmark have ratified a treaty for a postal union.

NEW TELEGRAPH COMPANY.—A bill has been introduced in the House of Delegates to incorporate the Old Dominion Telegraph Company. The company proposes to construct telegraph lines from any point on the waters of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributary streams to any points within the State and to build all necessary branch lines. It is proposed that the capital stock shall be \$500,000, divided into shares of \$50 each.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

A large meeting of the colored people of Gordonsville and vicinity was held on Friday night, to take into consideration the "Civil Rights bill." The meeting was addressed by two colored ministers in very conciliatory speeches, which were enthusiastically applauded by the assemblage. The whites were invited to express their views on the Civil Rights bill. Elder Barnett gave the colored people excellent advice, and told the whites present that the negroes did not contemplate intruding themselves where they were not wanted, but desired to live in peace. The editor of the Gordonsville Gazette made a short speech in reply, commending them for the stand they had taken. The utmost order and good feeling prevailed.

At the late term of the Federal Court, at Charleston, W. Va., an order was made in the suit of the creditors of the White Sulphur Springs Company against that company, directing the commissioner to rent this property, within a month, for a sum not less than the rental of last year, and if this cannot be accomplished, then to rent publicly to the highest bidder. It was provided in the order that it should be without prejudice to any party to the suit to press for a decree of sale at the next regular term, which commences April 19th.

On the 6th instant, Mr. N. B. Peacock, executor of John Leslie, deceased, sold the farm known as the Sanders' farm, in Loudoun county, containing 71 acres, 1 road and 15 poles, for \$15 per acre. Edwin Atlee purchaser. A house and lot on Short Hill, 34 acres, sold for \$175. Michael Hunter purchaser.

The Presbytery of the Chesapeake will meet in Warrenton on the 31st of this month. This is the regular spring meeting of that body. In addition to other matters, the Presbytery will ordain and install Mr. J. A. Scott, who has been supplying the Warrenton Church for the past two months.

Parr's mill dam, on Carter's Run, in Fauquier county, has been undermined by the ice plunging over the top and wearing away the earth till a communication has been established by the waters in the bed of the run beneath the embankment. This will prove a serious loss.

The trustees and teachers of the Fauquier graded schools have determined that the schools shall be continued. The teachers have volunteered to work for reduced salaries, and the trustees took it on themselves to obtain from patrons a small assessment.

It is considered not improbable that Mr. George W. Hardwicke, who has sold his interest in the Lynchburg Republican, will have a leading position in a Democratic newspaper to be started at Washington some time this summer or fall.

A very decided shock of an earthquake was felt in the neighborhood of Goodland Court House on Wednesday. Hundreds of people living several miles apart felt it at the same moment.

Some of the young men of Warrenton have organized a gymnastic club, and will fit up the vacant old Episcopal Church building for their purposes.

Mr. G. P. Hunter has been appointed constable for Lovettsville Township, Loudoun county, and has given the required bond.

Abel Hunter, colored, aged 110 years, died at his home near Liberty on Saturday last.

VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, on Saturday, the House amendments to the Senate bill in regard to the duties, powers and liabilities of county officers were disagreed to. The House amendments to the Senate bill to amend the act fixing the times for holding the circuit courts were agreed to.

The Senate bill to authorize the James River and Kanawha Canal Company to execute a mortgage and to subscribe to the capital stock of the Buchanan and Clifton Forge Railway Company, and to authorize the city of Richmond to guarantee such subscription in whole or in part, was ordered to be engrossed.

The Senate receded from its amendments to the House bill to establish a new judicial circuit, to be known as the Seventeenth, and to alter the First and Eighth circuits.

Bills were passed to amend the act incorporating the Roanoke Valley railroad, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to incorporate the Buchanan and Clifton Forge Railroad Company.

In the House of Delegates a bill was reported to prescribe the times for holding the courts of the First judicial circuit.

Bills were passed requiring the title and contract for real estate for public uses to be approved or disapproved by county courts; authorizing the formation of district colonization boards throughout the Commonwealth; to amend the charter of the town of Fairfax, and to change its name to Culpeper; to amend the Code in reference to sales under judgments, warrants or decrees, for debts contracted prior to April 10th, 1865; to prescribe the times for holding the courts of the Fourth judicial circuit; to amend certain sections of the Code in relation to general elections; to amend the Code in relation to registration; the joint resolution in relation to persons visiting Mr. Vernon; and the joint resolution in reference to the will of Koskinko and the marriage license of Thos. Jefferson.

A bill was introduced for the relief of the sureties of R. P. Morgan, late sheriff of Clarke county.

The House agreed to reconsider the vote by which it had rejected the bill to provide for enlarging the Eastern and Western Lunatic Asylums. The question then recurring upon the passage of the bill, it was rejected—yeas 63, nays 40—a two-thirds vote being necessary.

The bill to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts in criminal cases was ordered to its engrossment—yeas 44, nays 42.

The Premier of Canada has introduced a bill to organize the Northwest Territory, outside of Manitoba, into a Government.

DIED.

On Sunday, the 14th instant, FREDERICK MONGOLL, a native of Nassau, Germany, aged 65 years. His funeral will take place from the residence of Mr. Godfrey Krieg, Royal street, to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

In Washington, on the 13th instant, ALICE V. HOWSON, in her 22d year, beloved daughter of Mr. Alfred and Edith Howson, late of Alexandria, Va.

In Warrenton, week before last, Mrs. NEWTON VOLKLE, in her 90th year.

JOHN PORTER, aged 85 years, died at the residence of Judge Gaines, in Warrenton, on the 11th instant.

Mrs. LUCY E. D. FANT, widow of the late John L. Fant, died at the residence of Capt. H. Shepherd, in Warrenton, on the 11th instant, aged 83 years.

Suddenly, at his residence, near Taylortown, Loudoun co., Va., on Sunday evening, Feb. 7, 1875, of paralysis, JOHN GOODHART, aged sixty-two years and eleven days.

SARDINES, half and quarter boxes, Potted Meats, Olive Oil, English and American Sauces and Catsups, for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

THE CHEAPEST LOT OF TOILET SOAP ever offered in this city just received and for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

COMMERCIAL.

Alexandria Market, March 15.	
FLOUR, Fina.....	4 00 @ 4 50
Superfine.....	5 00 @ 5 25
Extra.....	5 50 @ 6 00
Family.....	6 00 @ 6 50
Family choice.....	6 75 @ 7 00
WHEAT, common to fair.....	1 00 @ 1 10
Do to good.....	1 10 @ 1 20
Good to prime.....	1 20 @ 1 25
Prime to choice.....	1 25 @ 1 28
CORN, white.....	0 81 @ 0 83
Mixed.....	0 80 @ 0 82
Yellow.....	0 80 @ 0 81
Bar-Corn.....	0 80 @ 1 00
RYE.....	0 95 @ 1 03
OATS.....	0 66 @ 0 68
CHICKENS, dressed.....	3 50 @ 6 00
TURKEYS.....	0 13 @ 0 16
DUCKS.....	3 50 @ 4 50
BUTTER, prime.....	0 25 @ 0 30
Common to middling.....	0 15 @ 0 25
EGGS.....	0 22 @ 0 23
IRISH POTATOES.....	0 80 @ 0 90
TIMOTHY SEED.....	3 00 @ 3 50
CLOVER SEED.....	7 00 @ 7 25
SAPLING CLOVER.....	7 75 @ 8 00
BACON, Hams, country.....	0 14 @ 0 15
Western.....	0 12 @ 0 12 1/2
Shoulders.....	0 9 @ 0 9 1/2
LARD.....	0 14 1/2 @ 0 16
DRESSED HOGS.....	8 00 @ 8 50
DRIED APPLES.....	0 6 @ 0 8
Green do.....	0 50 @ 0 55
PLASTER, ground, per ton.....	7 50 @ 0 00
Ground, in bags or bbls.....	9 50 @ 0 01
Ground, in bags, red'd.....	8 50 @ 0 00
Lump.....	4 50 @ 5 00
SALT, G. A. (Liverpool).....	1 15 @ 1 20
Fine.....	1 10 @ 2 30
Turk's Island.....	0 35 @ 0 40

REMARKS.—Wheat is without material change since Saturday's report; offerings of 352 bushels, with sales of a choice white lot at 128, and red at 118, 125, 126, 127 and 128 for good to choice. Corn is in active enquiry, and prices are steady; offerings of 70 bushels, with sales of white at 83, and mixed at 81 and 82, and yellow at 83. Small sales of Oats at 70.

RAILROAD RECEIPTS.—The following were the receipts by the Virginia Midland R. R. last week: 4500 bushels, wheat 1130, rye 56, oats 680, mill feed 26, clover seed 80, corn meal 20, potatoes 102, onions 16, hair 69 bags, dried fruit 11 sacks, garden seed 4 boxes, dressed hogs 11, flour 677 bbls, butter 7 firkins, eggs 9 bbls and boxes, leather 12 rolls, fowls 1 coop, hickory plank 14,000 feet, buckwheat flour 4 bushels, pine lumber 5000 feet, hides 1 bale and 13 bbls, calves 8, turk packs, calves 13, organs 1, sheep skins 1 bale, sundries 11 boxes, furniture 6 pkgs, wood in shape 1 pkg, iron 13 lb, copper stoves 1, vinegar 1 bbl, vegetables 1 bbl, empty casks 41, rags 3321 lbs, cattle 3 cars, coal 2 cars, sundries 1 car.

The following were the receipts by the Washington and Ohio Railroad: Wheat 1640 bushels, corn 1248, rye 42 meal 54, feed 64, beans 28, eggs 28 bbls and boxes, butter 11 bbls and firkins, poultry 4 bbls, fowls 2 cars, calves 36 head, sheep 3 head, hides 12 packages, plows 10, casting 900 lbs, hay 3 cars, wood 3 cars, stock 2 cars.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 15.

Sun rose.....6 12 | Moon sets.....2 28
Sun sets.....5 7 | High water.....0 00

ARRIVED.

Steamship John Gibson, New York, to Hooe & Johnston.

Steamer Pilot Boy, Curriamora, to F A Reed.

SAILED.

Steamer Sea, Baltimore, by F A Reed.

Schr Elizabeth, City Point, by W A Smoot.

MEMORANDA.

Schr Nellie C Payne, from Boston for this port, arrived at Vineyard Haven 21st ult.

Schr William Gillum, from Georgetown for Providence, passed through Hell Gate 12th.

RECEIVED.

The cordial thanks of the ladies belonging to the Union Relief of Alexandria are due the many kind friends who have aided them during the past winter in their work among the poor. Each appeal made by them has met a prompt and generous response, and we cherish the hope that "the Relief" has become an established institution of our city. The last meeting for the winter will be held on Wednesday, March 17th, at the Orphan Asylum. If any bills of the Society have been overlooked the merchants are requested to present them immediately, as this will be the last opportunity to make provision for the payment. A number of the ladies propose to continue their weekly subscriptions during the summer, so as to have a fund with which to resume operations next winter. If our gentlemen contributors feel inclined to do likewise, Mr. George H. Robinson will receive their donations and hand them over to the Treasurer of the Society.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD L. U. R.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its June term, 1873, in the suit of Ross' adm'r vs. Ross' heirs, the undersigned, commissioner in said decree named, will, on MONDAY, the 19th day of March, 1875, at 12 o'clock, in front of the Court House door of said county, sell to the highest bidder, at public sale, all the REAL ESTATE of which H. M. Ross died seized, (except the widow's dower) containing 134 1/2 acres—more land adjoining the lands of Wm. F. Lee and the late Samuel Wrenn, and lies west of the Chantilly farm; has thereon a SMALL FRAME HOUSE, is heavily wooded and well watered. Being divided by the county road leading from the ox road to the county road, near cut; it will be sold in two parts of nearly equal size, it will be sold separately.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, and the title to be retained until the last payment is made.

THOMAS MOORE, Fairfax co., mh 15-ws Comm'r of Sale.

ATTENTION TO CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES.

SPRING OF 1875.

We have just returned from the market with a very carefully selected stock of the above, in all the latest coloring and figures. Also a full line of TRIMMINGS.

Our arrangements are complete in every particular to furnish Suits or parts of Suits made to order in the very latest styles at very low prices, guaranteeing satisfaction. Call and see them at mh 15

D. F. WITMER CO'S.

ANOTHER LOT OF 3 lb CAN TOMATOES, and 2 lb can GREEN PEAS, just received for sale low by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

BRITISH EGG AND BUTTER POWDER—

a great saving in Butter and Eggs—in store and for sale at 147 King street.

mh 15 W. F. BROOKES.

PRIME COOKING WINE at \$2 per gallon; also a fine assortment of Table Wines for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

ANOTHER CASE of those delicious CANNED PEAS just received and for sale at 147 King street.

mh 15 W. F. BROOKES.

POTOMAC FAMILY ROE HERRING at

mh 15 W. F. BROOKES.

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF CULINARY SALT received and for sale at 147 King st.

mh 15 W. F. BROOKES.

HORSE BUCKETS, very desirable for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

SEA FOAM—Do not fail to try it. For sale at 147 King street.

W. F. BROOKES.

ANOTHER LOT OF YARMOUTH BLOATERS just received by

mh 15 J. C. MILBURN.

TEAS—Fine and finest Teas, new crop, for sale by

mh 15 J. C. MILBURN.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At the last meeting of the King George Agricultural Club a committee of three—Dr. R. H. Stuart, H. B. Lewis and Jno. D. Rozar—were appointed to draft resolutions expressing the death of our late beloved brother, Capt. Wm. TAYLOR SMITH.

Resolved, That the King George Agricultural Club, submitting to the Divine will, hereby express our heartfelt sorrow; and in his death we have lost a valuable member, a practical farmer, sincere friend and a Christian gentleman of genuine worth and integrity.

Resolved, That in his death the agricultural interest has sustained the loss of one of our most successful, useful and energetic farmers, much of whose success may be attributed to that life order and devotion to duty acquired by long service in the U. S. Navy; whose example we cordially commend to his brother farmers.

Resolved, That our personal relations with him have enabled us to appreciate the source of that genial esteem in which he was held by a wide circle of relations and friends; and while he is lamented as a citizen, we gladly bear testimony to his unflinching courtesy and social bearing as a member of this club. Humbly bending in submission to that Divine decree, we mourn that our deliberations are no longer to be cheered by his presence or aided by his good sense and sound judgment.

Resolved, That in his bereavement we truly sympathize with the family and relations in losing a devoted husband, loving father, sincere friend; and may they be so sustained, strengthened and comforted by his and their "Father in Heaven."

Resolved, That our Secretary be requested to present to the family of the deceased a copy of these resolutions and the same be entered on the minutes of this club; also a copy sent to the press for publication.

HOUSE GIRL WANTED.—Wanted to hire a good HOUSE GIRL.

mh 15 S. F. BEACH.

5 BBLs CUCUMBER PICKLES for sale by

mh 15 J. C. MILBURN.

DRIED SWEET CORN just received by

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DRIED SWEET CORN for sale at 147 King street.

mh 15 W. F. BROOKES.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS IN THE

POTOMAC & POTOMAC R. R. will take place at the residence of Mrs. HILLIS, in Rosslyn, Alexandria county, Va., on THURSDAY, the 25th day of March, at 12 m.

CHARLES H. SHER